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10,129**REMARKS**

In the Final Office Action mailed on November 1, 2005, the Examiner reviewed claims 1 and 3-22. Claims 1, 9, 10, 12-20 and 22 were allowed. Claims 3-8, 11 and 21 were rejected pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §112. Applicant cancelled these claims. However, claim 12 depended upon cancelled claim 11. Accordingly, in an Advisory Action mailed on December 22, 2005, the Examiner indicated the Amendment would not be entered because of the improper dependence of claim 12 upon a cancelled claim. Applicant hereby cancels claim 12 so as to permit the allowed claims to proceed toward issuance. Applicant requests this amendment to be entered because it places the application in condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this Amendment After Final relative to Application Serial No. 10/631,193 is being facsimile transmitted to the Patent and Trademark Office (Fax No. (571) 273-8300) on December 27, 2005.


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